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INTERESTING STOCK NEWS

Happenings in the Cattle World of Interest to Reporter Readers.

C. E. McLean of Dimmitt recently sold his bunch of stock cattle, numbering 336 head, to J. L. Vaughn of the same place. Consideration, \$7000.

Lawyer Will Boyce has sold this week 40,000 acres of land in Lamb and Castro counties, west of the Spring Lake pasture, to F. E. Clark of Quanah at \$2 per acre.—Live-stock Champion.

W. J. McAdams of Revuelto, N. M., came in yesterday with a bunch of 84 ones and twos which he sold to Judge Ferguson, president of the Hereford National Bank. The judge will place them on feed for the winter.

It is not thought that the sudden cold weather and fall of snow will do serious damage to the stock of this vicinity as they were in a good, healthy condition and prepared for any sudden change of weather which might occur.

Messrs. L. A. Nance, W. A. Cissell and Joe Long of Liberty, N. M., were in the city Tuesday. They brought two car loads of horses which they shipped to Hill county. They report everything all right in their section of the country.

Say, do you know it snow last night?

OBITUARY.

VANDEBURGH.

DIED—On December 5, 1901, Irene Glann-Vanderburgh, aged 27 years, at the home of her parents at Apalachin, N. Y., from the effects of mistaking carbolic acid for medicine.

Irene Glann was born at the old Glann homestead at Apalachin, N. Y., on the 17th day of September, 1874. She attended the public schools of her native home and also the Owego academy, in which latter she received diploma to teach, at the age of sixteen.

As a teacher she was very successful, ruling her pupils with the sceptre of love, and during her nine years of school work taught in most of the public schools in, and in the vicinity of, Apalachin.

May 2, 1900, she was married to F. L. Vanderburgh, who, besides an infant daughter, a father and mother, three brothers and three sisters, is left to mourn her demise.

The funeral services were held on Sunday last, and her remains were laid at rest in the Apalachin cemetery.

In life she was all that was noble and pure and by her loving and sunny disposition made her home a paradise.

Conner Jowell was in yesterday from his Tierra Blanca river ranch.

Royal Hubbell of Canon City, Colo., came in Thursday and has rented the Meeks photo studio. See his adv. on the eighth page of this issue.

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LA W is "a rule of conduct established by authority," while equity is synonymous with justice, honesty and fairness. Not all law is founded upon justice, honesty and fairness; but back of law may often be found public sentiment, moulding and shaping the course of the legislator.

And public sentiment is as fickle as when in the days of Christ the multitude with one breath cried "Hail, King of the Jews!" and with another, "Crucify Him!"

The pharisaical observance of the letter of the law does not always denote the best class of citizenship; but, on the other hand, not infrequently brands one as a most contemptible hypocrite.

The pot-bellied old post-nuptial proselyte who leaves his trusting wife at home alone and wends his way disgracefully down the crooked avenues of certain society and spends a night of carousing and debauchery, that leaves on his whirling brain an illusion of beer bottles, fair female forms and striped stockings, may occupy his pew with a duly dignified countenance on the following Sunday morning, and be respected as a law-abiding citizen; but he has a soul so steeped in sin that the good dominion could never reach him with the defacing influences of the Holy Spirit though he preached till all hell rang with shouts of praise to God.

The merchant who forecloses a \$100 mortgage on a \$25 value, may be acting within his lawful limitations, and be recognized as a shrewd business man; but he has a soul so small that a million of them in the mouth of a musquito would have as much room as a tadpole in Tartarus.

The lawyer who sells his services to the highest bidder, regardless of principle, dilly-dallies over technicalities to defeat the spirit of the law, and turns criminals loose upon the public or swindles honest men, may never be impeached before the county bar; but he'll wear chains when he appears before the bar of God.

The doctor who charges you a dollar for a prescription of salt and water, and when you're dead turns your widow out of doors for his fees, may do it legally and think he's going straight to heaven when he dies; but he's a damp-hool, and his view of the jasper walls will be tremendously diminished by distance.

The church-member who drinks

Peruna in the cellar and shouts prohibition on the housetop, may be a stickler for the law and occupy an amen corner in the church; but he's a putrescent excrescence on the posterior regions of indecency, a suppurating sore on society, and if his rotten old carcass were hung on the back gates of perdition the black beaked vultures of demnition would turn away in disgust.

The gossiping old hag who covertly stabs you with the venom of her scandalous tongue, may be a leader in church and social circles and occupy an exalted position in the Ladies' Aid Society, the Christian Endeavor and the Epworth League; but the English language is inadequate to express the deep moral turpitude of such a hell-cat. She is the slimiest and filthiest of all the serpentine brood of perdition, and should a respectable buzzard perchance to cross the relics of such a loathsome mass of degradation it would pause to consult the dignity of its bill before befouling it with

such garbage.

The woman who marries a man under the sacred obligation to obey, serve, love, honor and keep him, in sickness and in health, and seeks the first opportunity for a divorce on the ground of "incompatibility," may make loud professions of her sanctity, and become a leader in the church choir; but she's a whited sepulchre that stinks to hell, and she'll never hear the euterpean notes of the celestial choir on the other shore. The man who does the same thing may be a financial pillar of his church; but he's not to be classed among humans—rather a monotype of monstrosities, damed by a buzzard and sired by polecat, whose offspring has never been deodorized.

The girl who lures a man, with all the arts and wiles known to such feminine demi-devils, into the commission of some folly or infamy, and then sues him for breach of promise, may be sustained in the courts; but if I were to canvass the chorography of perdition I could find no spot so vile as her own heart.

Pseudo-prosecutors and *contrefait* Christians may drive every saloon out of America and put every bartender in the penitentiary; but unless their lives and practices are squared

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to the plummet of *God's law*, it will be of little avail to them in the final reckoning of the deeds done in the flesh. This one act alone will never raise them high enough heavenward to see the lining of a cloud.

O tempora! O mores! O rats!
I'm neither a law-breaker nor the son of a law-breaker. But we see daily the imperial agis of Equity, with her motto of "Justice, Honesty and Fairness," prostituted to the base ends of Law, in the hands of men whose respect for either is based solely upon their relative importance to their own selfish purposes.

Consistency seems to be a rare jewel in the crowns of such men. Methinks the Saviour himself was meditating on this truth when he rebuked his hypocritical hearers for straining at a gnat and swallowing a camel. Inconsistency is an offspring of narrow-mindedness, and narrow-mindedness, or ignorance, if you please, is one the greatest curses of humanity.

It's just such cases of intellectual contractibility that furnish examples of one man shooting another over a two-bit account, or a nanny cat, or a female specimen of the mangy mongrel tribe. And it's just such minikin cusses that ought to be taken to the plains, tied to a bunch of bear grass and all the posterior parts of their pants worn threadbare with a strap of cow hide.

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District Court convenes on the second Mondays of April and October.

Commissioners' Court convenes on the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.

Meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in their hall over G. M. McGlothlin's furniture store. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.

T. J. Davis, Noble Grand.
 C. L. Bounds, Secretary.

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W. B. Boyd, Worshipful Master.
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C. M. A.

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METHODIST.

Rev. Charles Clarke, pastor—Services held on the second Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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Rev. T. E. Moore, pastor. Services held on the third Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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Mrs. J. M. McGlothlin left on Monday for her old home in Grayson County, to spend the holidays. Mr. McGlothlin will follow in a few days.

Pictures! Pictures!

Pictures from \$1.50 to \$3.25 at McGlothlin & Hinton's. Come quick and get first choice.

Mr. Roosevelt's steady steady flow of requests for senatorial advice demonstrates that he fully appreciates how effective is the senatorial cinch on the president.

Mr. Watterson's journal modestly announces that the name of the best presidential candidate the democrats could select will be found "on the visiting cards of the editor of the Louisville Courier Journal."

Our ladies' shirtwaists go at the following reduced prices:

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| 1 lot, former price \$1.50, now \$ | 95 |
| " " " 2.00, " " | 1 20 |
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They are new and up-to-date, and most suitable as a Christmas present.

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Sheriff J. T. Inmon last Friday received a message from Roswell, N. M., to arrest one Geo. S. Burnett on the north bound train. He found the gentleman with no trouble and promptly placed him under arrest. At first he denied that Burnett was his name; but sheriff Inmon telegraphed for his description, and when confronted with it he promptly agreed that he filled the bill. A deputy sheriff came up and took the prisoner back to Roswell Sunday. He is wanted on a charge of defrauding a Roswell bank of \$30.

For a nice Xmas present buy one of our ladies' tailor made suits. They are new and nobby, and you get them for less than what we paid in New York.

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| 6 suits, former price \$7.50 and \$9, now | \$ 5.00 |
| 1 suit, formerly \$12.50, now | 8.95 |
| 2 suits, " " 10.00, " " | 7.80 |
| 1 suit, " " 17.50, " " | 10.00 |
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from his hip pocket and was discharged, the ball striking Curtis, who was at once removed from the train and taken to a hotel at Memphis, and surgeons sent for from Ft. Worth. Doran was arrested and lodged in jail.

Mr. Curtis, whose condition is reported critical, is known all over the Panhandle, and has many friends here. He is extensively interested in ranch property in this country, and is one of the Panhandle's most widely known ranchmen.

Sold Out.

A deal was consummated this week whereby A. J. Lipscomb, the well known druggist of the firm of Bounds & Lipscomb, surrenders his interest in that firm to W. R. Ward of Bridgeport, who will take charge the first of January.

Mr. Ward is a newcomer to our

town, but he is a very genial gentleman, and will doubtless make many friends, and have no trouble in establishing himself in the esteem of the people.

Mr. Lipscomb has been connected with the firm since last July. He is one of our most highly respected citizens, and in his retirement is followed by the good will of everyone. He will remain in Hereford, but has not yet decided as to what business he will engage in.

Judge W. B. Plemons.

On Wednesday of last week a man died in Amarillo whose memory will ever remain sacred in the hearts of Panhandle people—not because of the external paraphernalia of greatness or goodness with which he may have been endowed, but solely for those riches of soul and mind that

had proved him to be—a man.

The silver cord was loosed and the golden bowl was broken, and the Reaper took from earth the soul of—a Man.

Judge Plemons, during his lifetime, held positions of trust and honor. He was one of the pioneer plainmen, and has done more for the Panhandle than any other one man living. He stood high in the esteem of his fellow-men, and his it was to command the respect—aye, veneration—of all. But higher than all these, he was a Man.

A typical southern gentleman of the old school, he was admired for all those concomitant qualities of sterling wealth of mind and grace of action. But he was loved because he was just a Man.

He was an honored member of several fraternal orders, and was closely associated with that class of citizenship which represents the highest type of the material worth and platonic value of this world. But if Judge Plemons could be recalled from the dead today he would claim no higher title than that of a Man, and no higher honor than that which accompanies it.

Greater than these could no man bestow.

He fulfilled as near as in his power the demand of his God and his country in that one compound, Man. But he possessed those attributes of character that entitled him most preeminently to the claim.

He subscribed to no creed, and he pinioned his soul to the narrow confines of no dogma. But he loved his fellow-man with an unselfish love, as broad as the universe, as deep as space and as lasting as eternity.

He was a friend to the stranger, he fed the hungry, clothed the naked and gave drink to the thirsty.

Has creed or dogma done more? "Forasmuch as ye did it to one of the least of these, ye it to me."

A Letter from Santa Claus.

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Your friend,

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FRIDAY, December 13, 1901

A COMPANY in London is engaged in the manufacture of flying machines and has put them on the market at 950 pounds each.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT has removed Governor Jenkins of Oklahoma and has appointed Thos. B. Ferguson of Watonga to the place. The new governor is a newspaper man.

THE Wright dispensary system bill passed both houses of the Georgia legislature. This plan is deemed as a happy middle ground, since it destroys the saloon and its allurements, yet enables one to get the pure article without the evasion of law.—Texas Observer.

THE Dalhart Sun thinks it would have been better if President Roosevelt had given Booker Washington a quarter to buy his dinner at the nearest restaurant. It would have saved a lot of newspaper space that could have been devoted to some more important matter, anyhow.

It will be remembered Oom Paul, on the outbreak of the Boer war, declared that humanity would be staggered by results. Humanity has, indeed, been staggered, but it has been by the figures just given out by the Daily News of London that the death rate in the concentration camps in South Africa is incomparably worse than the mortality figures of Indian famines, where cholera and epidemics have to be contended with. England should bow her head in shame.—Houston Chronicle.

W. R. Curtis Shot.

The Dallas News of last Sunday contains an account of the shooting of W. R. Curtis, at the station Rowe, about six miles south of Clarendon, while on the south-bound train en route to Memphis, Texas.

The shooting was accidental. One Lee Doran was sitting on the arm of a car seat when Mr. Curtis came walking down the aisle. Doran leaned back to let Mr. Curtis pass, when the former's pistol fell

POSTOFFICE HOURS

General delivery open from 6:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m. Office open Sunday for an hour after morning church services and arrival of train.

L. A. Montgomery, P. M.

P. V. & N. T. TIME TABLE

| Pass. Train | Leaves |
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| No. 201, south-bound, | 11:12 a. m. |
| No. 202, north-bound, | 4:53 p. m. |

STAGE TO DIMMITT.

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| Lv. Hereford at 7:30 a. m. daily ex. Sunday | |
| Ar. Dimmitt at 12:00 m. | " " |
| Lv. Dimmitt at 1:00 p. m. | " " |
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STAGE TO ENDEE

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| Lv. Hereford Mondays-Fridays at 6 a. m. | |
| Ar. Endee " " at 8 p. m. | |
| Lv. Endee Tuesdays-Saturdays at 6 a. m. | |
| Ar. Hereford " " at 8 p. m. | |

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Happenings in Our Busy County Seat Briefly Told.

Wanted—Small bachelor's stove. Apply at this office. 40tf

Lew Hale, manager of the Sachse ranch, had business in Amarillo last Monday.

Found, a small souvenir gold ring. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for notice. This office.

For Sale—100 acres of patented land, situated in Deaf Smith county, at \$2 per acre. See Troy Womble. 28tf

J. M. Burris, representing Noble Bros., was in the city Monday, and made a trip out to Dimmitt that morning.

Misses Junie Nudd and Eva Humphrey, two of Hereford's popular girls, returned Monday afternoon from a protracted visit to friends at Portales, N. M.

Notice to Hunters.

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S. P. Minn of Childress was a guest of the Humphrey House last Saturday.

Dr. J. W. Pierson of Amarillo was a business visitor to Hereford Tuesday.

No, Hereford is not "booming." She's just growing, but it's a remarkably rapid growth.

Smith, Walker & Co. have just opened up a new lot of ladies' tailor-made suits, which you should inspect. Prices right. 41tf

Mrs. M. A. Lee will leave next week for Cowley county, Kansas, to visit her mother, Mrs. Bowman, whom she has not seen in nine-years.

We have the largest stock of men's and boys' clothing in the city and are selling them at prices which will dispose of them. Smith, Walker & Co. 41tf

S. Braden, who bought property near here some time ago, is here this week with a view of beginning some improvements on it. He is staying at the Humphrey House.

Jack Harwell, one of Hereford's pioneer citizens, left this week for Waco and other points to spend the holidays with home folks and friends. He will be gone until about the 1st. We wish him a pleasant trip.

It is not generally known that A. J. Lipscomb is becoming an expert linguist. We had the pleasure of hearing him take his first lesson in Mexicano the other night, and the way he rattled it off five minutes later was a caution.

Mr. White informs us that ten new subscribers to the telephone list have been added recently, and several more will be put on as soon as practicable. He promises to treat his patrons to a new directory by the first of the year. It is needed. We are glad that our people are patronizing our local exchange so liberally.

Both the Masons and the Knights of Pythias of this place were represented at Judge W. B. Plemons' funeral at Amarillo on Thursday of last week. The former delegation was composed of A. P. Murchison, D. F. Johnson, Rat Jowell, W. G. Higgins, Dr. R. M. Johnson and W. S. Files, and the latter was composed of A. J. Lipscomb, Geo. Dale, G. A. Sachse and H. S. Syms. A special train conveyed them from here.

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Smoke the Owl at Cardwells. 34tf

Dan Sullivan is suffering with an aggravated case of poison in his right foot, caused by sticking a nail in it some time ago.

Smith, Walker & Co. have just received a new lot of ladies' and children's jackets and undershirts which they will sell at close prices. Call and examine them. 41tf

Notice.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to us will please call and settle. We do not wish to run any unnecessary expense on any one, hence this notice. Resp'y, 40tf D. R. GASS & SONS.

Read The REPORTER

D. M. Williamson of Attica, Kas., was registered at the Humphrey House last Saturday.

We have received a lot of new material for this office, and are much better prepared to do your work.

Canadian went "wet" by a very decided majority. Brooks' Champion will probably wear mourning.

We have a fine new line of ladies' shirtwaists for fall and winter wear. Price and examine them. Smith, Walker & Co. 41tf

We call attention to J. A. Johnson's ad in this paper, and when you are in need of a good brand of flour give him a call.

Galbreath & Fox have received and opened up their magnificent line of Xmas goods, and invite your inspection of their stock before making your purchases. 43tf

Amarillo, the "Peerless Princess of the Plains," went dry by a majority of thirteen, and Brother Brooks of the Champion was so elated over it that he made a poster out of the first page of his paper to tell about it.

We ask our readers to carefully examine our advertising pages before making their Christmas purchases. The man who has bargains to offer you usually advertises them. The man who has none don't advertise. We believe it will pay you to read the advertisements.

On another page we speak of W. H. Newsome prospecting her. Mr. Newsome made us a pleasant call Tuesday morning, and we found him to be a very agreeable gentleman. He will probably buy some ranch property near town. He is from Weatherford instead of Bridgeport.

Do You Want Them?

You can get the REPORTER and the Dallas Semi-Weekly News for one year at \$2.25.

Johnson Grass for Sale.

Thirty tons of well cured baled Johnson grass for sale. See J. E. Tucker & Co. at OYO ranch, Dimmitt, Texas. 41-4t

CARDWELL BROS.

We have a Complete and New Line of

Staple and Fancy Groceries

Come and see us

Our Line is Fresh and new

TELEPHONE NO. 50

A DECEMBER WEDDING

Solemnized in the Parlors of the Humphrey House.

On Wednesday last two of Hereford's most popular young people were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. McGee.

The contracting parties were Miss Junie Nudd, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Nudd, and O. M. Conoley, a prominent and progressive business man of this place.

The ceremony was performed at about 4 o'clock in the presence of the immediate friends and relatives of the happy couple. M. Jacobs-gaard and Miss Eva Humphrey performed the duties of best man and bridesmaid, respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Conoley left on the northbound evening passenger train for an extended visit among eastern and southern Texas friends, carrying with them the best wishes of a host of friends.

They will be "at home" to their many admiring friends after January 1st.

Smith, Walker & Co., the leaders and leading general merchandise house in the Panhandle, are people that believe in making prices to suit the most economical. Their locals this week are well worth reading, and mean the saving of money to everybody that is in need of anything advertised.

For the Holidays.

The Pecos & Northern Texas Ry. Co. will sell round trip tickets to Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, the Dakotas and Colorado, also points in the southeast, at rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip, dates of sale, Dec. 21st, 22nd and 23rd, good for thirty days. Tickets for Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago must be executed for return for return passage by joint agent at destination, for which a fee of fifty cents will be charged. Also will sell tickets at rate of fare and a third to all local points. Selling dates, Dec. 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th and 31st and Jan. 1st. Good until Jan. 3rd.

DON A. SWEET, G. P. A.
T. J. DAVIS, Local Agt.

COMING AND GOING.

Movements of People You Know and Other Items Picked Up Here and There.

If you want your Christmas turkey cooked just right get one of those roasters from Stringfellow-Hume Hardware Co. 43tf

Allen Blankinship is in this week from Liberty, N. M. He and his

brother, D. T., have made up their mind that the New Mexico country is all right, evidently, as they have added a grain and livery department to their well established meat business.

Do not forget that our line of dry goods and groceries is complete. We carry the largest and best selected stock in this part of the country, and we will sell them at prices that nobody can beat. 43tf Smith, Walker & Co.

Osburne & Roberts

DEALERS IN

FASHIONABLE MILLINERY

AGENTS FOR

Butterick Patterns-Publications

Koyal Hubbell, the photographer, says he can heartily recommend Mr. Inmon's table board, but advises all to beware of his rooming hotel, De Inmon, back of the court house. Mr. Hubbell, having been arrested for the misdemeanor of another man by the name of W. H. Huber, in Canyon, knows all about Hotel de Inmon. He says the charges are very reasonable. Too much care cannot be exercised in the matter of arresting people on circumstantial evidence.

B. T. Bradley, R. T. Bradley and D. H. Eads have bought the tobacco, fruit and confectionery business of Lee Bros. The former has lived in Hereford for the past few years, and is well and favorably known. The new firm name will be Bradley & Eads, and will no doubt do a good business.

Stringfellow-Hume Hardware Co. have just opened a nice line of china and glassware. 43tf

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

E. W. TINSLEY, M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Office in Bounds & Lipscomb's drug store. Residence 'phone, 27. Residence at W. A. Higgins'.

Hereford - - - - - Texas

R. M. JOHNSON, M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Catarrhal Affections a Specialty. All calls attended to day or night. Telephone at residence, No. 33.

Hereford - - - - - Texas.

R. W. BOUNDS, M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Office in Bounds & Lipscomb's drug store. Residence 'phone, 44.

Hereford - - - - - Texas

R. H. GOUGH, M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Treatment with Medical Electricity. Special attention given to Catarrh. Office at Drug Store opposite Bank. Office 'phone, 26. Residence, 28.

Hereford - - - - - Texas

WITHERSPOON & GOUGH

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
NOTARY IN OFFICE

Office next door to Bank
Hereford - - - - - Texas

R. F. HOLLOWAY

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Will practice in all Courts in Deaf Smith and adjoining counties

OFFICE IN COURT HOUSE
Hereford - - - - - Texas

JOIN THE PUSH!
while the rush is on, and
SUBSCRIBE NOW!

JIM THOMAS J. P. SNYDER

THOMAS & SNYDER
Contractors and Builders

Best Workmanship
 a Specialty

Estimates furnished on all classes
 of work on short notice

COMING AND GOING.

Movements of People You Know
 and Other Items Picked Up
 Here and There.

The Owl is the best 5c cigar in
 town. Cardwell has 'em 34tf

For sale, 35 acres of land in the
 Womble addition. Price, \$20 per
 acres. E. H. Fullwood. 42tf

W. R. Ward and W. H. New-
 some of Bridgeport are here this
 week visiting friends and prospect-
 ing.

Dr. Ball returned to his Cleburne
 home this week, but will return in
 about two weeks and locate here
 permanently.

N. E. Hord of the North Draw
 was in town Monday, and took the
 afternoon train for Amarillo, where
 he had some business to look after.

J. H. Myers of Hill county is a
 guest of the Humphrey House. He
 is prospecting here, and says if he
 likes it he will remain. Which
 means that he will remain.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes! The great-
 est variety and largest stock to be
 found in the Panhandle. We sell
 the famous Florsheim brand. None
 better, few equal. Smith, Walker
 & Co. 41tf

B. H. Bounds and wife of Sher-
 man came in last Saturday, and will
 locate here permanently. At the
 present time they are domiciled in
 the home of their son, Dr. R. W.
 Bounds, but it is their intention to
 build in the near future.

We have decided to close out our
 entire stock of goods at prices to
 suit our customers. If you know the
 value of goods, come and buy what
 you want and make your own prices.
 We mean business. Don't let any
 one deceive you by offering you
 leaders or any other catch-penny
 scheme. Respectfully, D. R. Gass
 & Sons. 40tf

J. W. Hough R. A. Hough

HOUGH & SON
 Contractors and Builders

We can show you

THE MOST MODERN DESIGNS AND PLANS FOR
 DWELLINGS AT A COST OF FROM \$300 TO \$15,000

ALL WORK GUARANTEED

DOCKRAY BROTHERS
 DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF

Fruit, Shrubby and Ornamental Trees

BEST NURSERY STORE
 AT LOWEST PRICES SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

REFERENCE
 JOHN WOODS & SONS, BANKERS, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

G. A. STAMBAUGH J. R. CAMP

Stambaugh & Camp
 WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

Coal, Grain, Hay, Salt
 AND FIELD SEED

WAGON YARD
 IN CONNECTION

Cash Paid for Hides and Bones

BOIS D'ARC POSTS International Stock and Pelutry Feed

First-Class Work Guaranteed Clean Towels a Specialty

The City Barber Shop
 GEO. W. DALE, PROP.

Bath Rooms in connection fitted up
 with Porcelain lined Bath Tubs

Your Patronage
 will be appreciated

Printing that pays

Is not always the printing that costs you the
 least, but is more frequently dependent upon
 the QUALITY of the work you get. We are
 not "cheap" printers in any sense of the word,
 but we charge REASONABLE prices and do

Good work

W. R. MILLS
**PRACTICAL
 PAINTER**

All Work Guaranteed
 HEREFORD, TEXAS

Old Santa Claus will be at Gough's
 drug store Christmas. 40tf

G. W. Hudson of Illinois was
 registered at the Humphrey House
 this week.

Do these cold nights make you
 think of blankets and comforts? If
 so, we have 'em, and at low prices,
 too. Smith, Walker & Co. 41tf

P. W. Nudd has moved his res-
 taurant to his new quarters in the
 Jack Harwell building, and every-
 thing looks as neat as a new pin.
 He is now much better prepared to
 serve his patrons in a first-class
 manner, and we are glad to note the
 evidences of his prosperity. He has
 added to his business a complete
 line of canned goods and cigars.

Hough & Son, the popular con-
 tractors whose ad appears on this
 page, have the contract to erect a
 new livery stable for the enterprising
 firm of Cox & Davis, and work has
 already begun. It will be 30x140
 feet, and will give Hereford quite a
 commodious building for a town of
 its size, which goes to show that
 Messrs. Cox & Davis are both prosper-
 ing and progressive.

Notice.

All those who have not paid their
 subscription to the public school
 building fund are requested to pay
 the same at once at the Hereford
 National Bank. R. H. NORTON.

Dissolution Notice.

G. E. Burns and C. F. Cardwell
 have sold their grocery business to
 C. F. Cardwell and J. H. Cardwell,
 Mr. Burns retiring from the firm.
 The business will be continued under
 the firm name of Cardwell Bros.,
 who will collect all accounts due
 and assume all obligations of the
 firm. G. E. BURNS,
 C. F. CARDWELL.
 Nov. 20, 1901. 40tf

Henrietta Marble Works
 HENRIETTA, TEXAS

Marble and Granite
 Monuments and Statuary

Iron Fences, Floor Tiling, etc.

S. B. FEEMSTER

MOVING AND GOING.

Movements of People You Know and Other Items Picked Up Here and There. Subscribe for the REPORTER.

John Boyd was in from his ranch yesterday.

Judge Kerr of Dimmitt is in the city greeting his many friends.

Jim Williams, the Castro county cattleman, was in town this week.

D. B. Carmack of Revuelto, N. M., came in Thursday after supplies.

Blankets and comforts, in a large assortment at Smith, Walker & Co. 43tf

W. T. Priest, the painter and paper hanger, is enjoying a visit from his venerable father.

James Garner left on Tuesday for an extended visit among friends at his former home in Montague county.

Dobe Williams, who is employed on W. J. McAdams' Revuelto, N. M., ranch, was in town the last of the week.

C. E. McLean and son, Bruce, of Dimmitt came in on Thursday from Kansas City, where they had been with a train of beef cattle.

Galbreath & Fox will pay the highest market price for your chickens, eggs, butter, potatoes, beans—in fact, they will buy anything you have to sell. 43tf

Our line of ladies' jackets and skirts will be sold at strictly first cost or less. We want to close them out before the holidays. 43tf Smith, Walker & Co.

W. H. Garrison of Cleburne is in town and has rented the north side of the new Hay block, where he and his brother, C. S. Garrison, will conduct a hardware store of the highest order. See their local adv. elsewhere in this issue.

Smith, Walker & Co. are spreading themselves this week in advertising their Christmas goods, both in their red ink display adv. on the first page and in their black faced type locals. Their goods will bear the closest inspection in quality, as well as price.

Onlille table covers at 50 per cent discount.

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| 9 | regular price, \$.85, now | 43c |
| 11 | 1.00, now | 50c |
| 5 | 1.25, now | 63c |
| 5 | 1.50, now | 75c |

Everything marked in plain figures. Smith, Walker & Co.

HEREFORD MEAT MARKET

M. O. MEEKS, PROP.

Steaks, Chops, Sausages, Fish and Packing House Supplies Constantly on Hand

NICE FAT TURKEYS

FOR 75 CENTS EACH.

Market on Dewey Avenue

Telephone No. 38

"Alliance Peacemaker"

DENTON, TEXAS

Best Brand of Flour on the Market

Took First Premium at Texas State Fair in 1887-88-89-90-91-92-93-95-96; at the St. Louis Fair in 1895-96-98-99. Took Gold Medal at World's Fair, Paris, France. Try it.

SOLD BY **J. A. JOHNSON, Grocer.**

BEACH & ORR

DEALERS IN

Confectioneries, Tobaccos, Fruits, Stationery Cigars and Lunch Goods

We have the Finest Line of Candies in Town. Try them

Call up 'Phone No. 9

Printing that pays

Is not always the printing that costs you the least, but is more frequently dependent upon the QUALITY of the work you get. We are not "cheap" printers in any sense of the word, but we charge REASONABLE prices and do

Good work

X-MAS PHOTOS!

Royal Hubbell, a Colorado Photographer of 22 years' experience, has opened a studio in the old Meeks Gallery and will make the following

CHRISTMAS OFFERS:

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| With every dozen \$3 Cabi-Photo worth | With every dozen \$4 Cabi-Photo worth | With every dozen of my Set Brooch, worth | With every set of 18 Stamp Buttons will be |
| \$1.00 GIVEN FREE | \$1.50 GIVEN FREE | \$2.00 GIVEN FREE | GIVEN FREE |

HURRY UP ROYAL HUBBELL

READY FOR BUSINESS MONDAY, D. C. 16

A BETTER SERVICE.

The Santa Fe Has Improved the Traveling Conditions of Its Panhandle Patrons.

Under the new passenger schedule the patrons of the Pecos system and the Southern Kansas of Texas are now enabled to reach Kansas City with about twelve hours less traveling than formerly, which, with the better connections at Kansas City and Chicago, makes the time between this section of the country and New York via the Santa Fe twenty-four hours quicker than before. In addition to this better time service, another admirable feature has been added—a Pullman sleeping car, which runs through to Wichita, Kas. These concessions were made to accommodate the largely increased traveling patronage which the Santa Fe has been receiving of late.

Jewelry! Nothing more suitable for a nice Christmas present than a nice bracelet, necklace, ring or a medallion. We've got them for ladies, children and men, and will sell them at less than we paid for them.

43tf Smith, Walker & Co.

Real Estate Transfers.

F. M. Duckworth to E. Fenton of Scurry county, 3 sections 12 miles southeast of town. Consideration, unknown.

S. S. Evants to S. P. Fuller. 5 acres lying on the college reserve. Consideration \$400.

Conner Jowell to W. A. Odell, 2 sections of land in Castro county. Consideration \$1500.

C. E. McLean J. L. Vaughn, 4 sections in Castro county. Consideration \$5000.

At less than cost, we will sell our ladies' wrappers.

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| Former price, \$1.50, now | \$.91 |
| " 1.75, " | 1.16 |
| " 2.75, " | 1.78 |

We mean what we say. Anything advertised at cost or less will be sold that way. So come early before the bargains are gone.

43tf Smith, Walker & Co.